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Sent: Fri 4/11/2014 1:12:45 PM
Subject: RE: Kokomo Dump Site - Soil Analysis

We will have an XRF on-site.

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Sent: Friday, April 11, 2014 8:47 AM
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Bill,

I understand that SESCO may not be able to collect samples for hex chrome. My START contractor will sample for it where we collect split samples. Please advise if you will have a XRF on-site.

Thanks,

Shelly

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To: Lam, Shelly

Cc: Brent Graves; Brad Adams

Subject: FW: Kokomo Dump Site - Soil Analysis

Shelly,

Thanks for the response. In principle we have no opposition to adding hexavalent chromium to the target analyte list. However, in practice we will need to get a change order drafted and submitted to the insurers, then allow them adequate review and approval time. Unfortunately, given the current schedule, this will not be possible.

During the next round of investigation we could speciate chromium based on results of this investigation at specific locations.

Thanks,

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To: Brad Adams
Cc: Bill Pickard; Brent Graves; Lam, Shelly
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Your proposal to sample surface and subsurface soil for RCRA 8 metals, SVOCs, VOCs, PCBs & TCDD is acceptable. I think you should also add hexavalent chromium to the target analyte list. We found elevated levels of total chrome (although below screening levels) during the site assessment at the Kokomo Dump Site and found high concentrations of hex chrome at the northern adjoining property. However, if you want to discuss please let me know. Also please update and resubmit the work plan.

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Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2014 11:36 AM

To: Lam, Shelly

Cc: Bill Pickard; Brent Graves

Subject: Kokomo Dump Site - Soil Analysis

Hi Shelly,

We are in the process of ordering sample containers for our surface and subsurface soil sampling next week. We discovered some conflicting information in the text of the approved work plan and Table 8, which specifies the sampling parameters. In order to make sure that we are sampling for all appropriate constituents, we wanted to run it by you. I'll summarize the information below.

Surface Sampling

- The text indicates that we will analyze for VOCs, RCRA 8 metals, TCLP metals, PCBs and TCDD (dioxins).
- Table 8 indicates that we will analyze for SVOCs, RCRA 8 metals, PCBs and TCDD

Subsurface Sampling

The text refers to Table 9 for the sampling parameters.

- RCRA 8 metals, SVOCs, VOCs, PCBs & TCDD

We think it is appropriate to analyze the surface and subsurface samples for the RCRA 8 metals, SVOCs, VOCs, PCBs & TCDD. We feel that TCLP metals in surface samples are unnecessary and would apply in a waste disposal scenario. Thanks for your time and assistance.

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